

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This Listing of Claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

**Listing of Claims:**

Claims 1-138 (Cancelled).

Claim 139 (Cancelled).

140. (Currently Amended) [The sheet of claim 139] A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:

a cardstock sheet construction having a front side and a back side;

a solid continuous liner sheet releasably secured with ultraremovable adhesive to and covering the back side;

continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet construction to the back side but not through-cut through the liner sheet;

the through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of printable business cards and a matrix waste portion;

portions of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction forming back side surfaces of the printable business cards;

areas of the liner sheet covering back sides of all of the through-cut lines, the areas being adapted to hold the printable business cards and the matrix waste portion together when the sheet of printable business cards is sheet fed through a printer or copier for a printing operation on the printable business cards;

the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction; and

the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into individual printed business cards;

wherein the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into the individual printed business cards with the ultraremovable adhesive remaining on the liner sheet and not on back side surfaces of the printed business cards.

141. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet covers all of the back sides of all of the facestock through-cut lines.

142. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet extends the entire width of the cardstock sheet construction.

143. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein adjacent ones of the printable business cards directly abut one another and share common edges.

144. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the printable business cards are arranged in a matrix on the cardstock sheet construction.

145. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction includes a glossy cardstock sheet.

146. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein (a) the cardstock sheet construction includes left and right side edges, (b) the through-cut lines include frame cut lines and grid cut lines, (c) the frame cut lines include first and second side cut lines spaced in from the left and right side edges respectively, and disposed parallel thereto, and the first and second end cut lines spaced in from and parallel to the first and second end edges, both of the end cut lines engaging both of the side cut lines, the frame cut lines defining a central area on the facestock sheet construction, (d) the grid cut lines define a grid disposed in the central area, and (e) the grid cut lines and the frame cut lines separate the central area into the printable business cards.

147. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet comprises a densified bleached kraft sheet.

148. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein at least some of the through-cut lines define the matrix waste portion around the printable business cards.

149. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the through-cut lines include vertical and horizontal cut lines.

150. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 149 wherein a top one of the horizontal cut lines extends a full width of the cardstock sheet construction.

151. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 150 wherein ends of the rest of the horizontal cut lines are spaced inwardly from the left and right side edges of the facestock sheet construction.

152. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 151 wherein the rest of the horizontal cut lines extend a distance out beyond the outermost of the vertical cut lines.

153. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet comprises a base paper sheet.

154. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet has a thickness of approximately 3.0 mil.

155. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet has a thickness of approximately 2.0 mil.

156. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the liner sheet covers the entire back side of the cardstock sheet construction.

157. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the through-cut lines define all of the perimeter edges of all of the printable business cards.

158. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 157 wherein the printable business cards are arranged in a two column matrix on the cardstock sheet construction.

159. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 158 wherein the printable business cards in each column of the two column matrix abut adjacent printable business cards in the same column separated only by respective ones of the through-cut lines.

160. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the printable business cards comprise a matrix block of printable business cards completely surrounded by the matrix waste portion.

161. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is a top-coated cardstock sheet.

Claim 162 (Cancelled).

163. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is approximately 9.0 mil thick.

164. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction and the liner sheet are both rectangular and have the same width and length dimensions.

165. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction has a cardstock end edge, and the liner sheet has a corresponding liner sheet end edge, and wherein one of the cardstock end edge and the liner sheet end edge extends a distance out from the other to form a thin end of the sheet of printable business cards.

166. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 165 wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out.

167. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 165 wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out to form a narrow exposed strip extending the entire width of the liner sheet.

168. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 167 wherein the narrow exposed strip is approximately 1/2 inch wide.

169. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 165 wherein the thin end is adapted to provide printer or copier infeed flexibility for the sheet of printable business cards.

170. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 165 wherein an end of the sheet of printable business cards opposite to the thin end is calendered.

171. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the back side surfaces of the printed business cards are [tack-free] writable thereon by a user after removal from the liner sheet.

172. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein a cut line in the liner sheet extends across a width thereof.

173. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 172 wherein the cut line is approximately a 1/4 inch from an end edge of the liner sheet.

174. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 172 wherein the cut line defines a printer infeed flexibility cut line of the sheet of printable business cards.

175. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein an infeed edge of the sheet of printable business cards, along an entire width of the sheet, is thinner than a body of the sheet.

176. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein a lead-in edge of the sheet of printable business cards is calendered to improve feeding of the sheet into a printer or copier.

177. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the cardstock sheet construction includes a cardstock sheet and the ultraremovable adhesive is directly on the cardstock sheet.

178. (Currently Amended) The sheet of claim [139] 140 wherein the sheet of printable business cards is 8 ½ x 11 inches.

179. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 178 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is approximately 9.0 mil thick.

180. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 178 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is a top-coated cardstock sheet.

181. (Previously Presented) The sheet of claim 180 wherein the liner sheet comprises a base paper sheet.

182. (New) A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:  
a cardstock sheet construction having a front side and a back side;  
a solid continuous liner sheet releasably secured with ultraremovable adhesive to and covering the back side;  
continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet construction to the back side but not through-cut through the liner sheet;  
the through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of printable business cards and a matrix waste portion;  
portions of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction forming back side surfaces of the printable business cards;  
areas of the liner sheet covering back sides of all of the through-cut lines, the areas being adapted to hold the printable business cards and the matrix waste

portion together when the sheet of printable business cards is sheet fed through a printer or copier for a printing operation on the printable business cards;

the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction; and

the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into individual printed business cards;

wherein the back side surfaces of the printed business cards are tack-free after removal from the liner sheet.

183. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet covers all of the back sides of all of the facestock through-cut lines.

184. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet extends the entire width of the cardstock sheet construction.

185. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein adjacent ones of the printable business cards directly abut one another and share common edges.

186. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the printable business cards are arranged in a matrix on the cardstock sheet construction.

187. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction includes a glossy cardstock sheet.

188. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein (a) the cardstock sheet construction includes left and right side edges, (b) the through-cut lines include frame cut lines and grid cut lines, (c) the frame cut lines include first and second side cut lines spaced in from the left and right side edges respectively, and disposed parallel thereto, and the first and second end cut lines spaced in from and parallel to the first and second end edges, both of the end cut lines engaging both of the side cut lines, the frame cut lines defining a central area on the facestock sheet construction, (d) the grid cut lines

define a grid disposed in the central area, and (e) the grid cut lines and the frame cut lines separate the central area into the printable business cards.

189. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet comprises a densified bleached kraft sheet.

190. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein at least some of the through-cut lines define the matrix waste portion around the printable business cards.

191. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the through-cut lines include vertical and horizontal cut lines.

192. (New) The sheet of claim 191 wherein a top one of the horizontal cut lines extends a full width of the cardstock sheet construction.

193. (New) The sheet of claim 192 wherein ends of the rest of the horizontal cut lines are spaced inwardly from the left and right side edges of the facestock sheet construction.

194. (New) The sheet of claim 193 wherein the rest of the horizontal cut lines extend a distance out beyond the outermost of the vertical cut lines.

195. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet comprises a base paper sheet.

196. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet has a thickness of approximately 3.0 mil.

197. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet has a thickness of approximately 2.0 mil.

198. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the liner sheet covers the entire back side of the cardstock sheet construction.



199. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the through-cut lines define all of the perimeter edges of all of the printable business cards.

200. (New) The sheet of claim 199 wherein the printable business cards are arranged in a two column matrix on the cardstock sheet construction.

201. (New) The sheet of claim 200 wherein the printable business cards in each column of the two column matrix abut adjacent printable business cards in the same column separated only by respective ones of the through-cut lines.

202. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the printable business cards comprise a matrix block of printable business cards completely surrounded by the matrix waste portion.

203. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is a top-coated cardstock sheet.

204. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is approximately 9.0 mil thick.

205. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction and the liner sheet are both rectangular and have the same width and length dimensions.

206. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction has a cardstock end edge, and the liner sheet has a corresponding liner sheet end edge, and wherein one of the cardstock end edge and the liner sheet end edge extends a distance out from the other to form a thin end of the sheet of printable business cards.

207. (New) The sheet of claim 206 wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out.

208. (New) The sheet of claim 206 wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out to form a narrow exposed strip extending the entire width of the liner sheet.

209. (New) The sheet of claim 208 wherein the narrow exposed strip is approximately 1/2 inch wide.

210. (New) The sheet of claim 206 wherein the thin end is adapted to provide printer or copier infeed flexibility for the sheet of printable business cards.

211. (New) The sheet of claim 206 wherein an end of the sheet of printable business cards opposite to the thin end is calendered.

212. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein a printer-infeed flexibility cut line in the liner sheet extends across a width thereof.

213. (New) The sheet of claim 212 wherein the flexibility cut line is approximately a 1/4 inch from an end edge of the liner sheet.

214. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the back side surfaces of the printable business cards are writable thereon by a user after removal from the liner sheet.

215. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein an infeed edge of the sheet of printable business cards, along an entire width of the sheet, is thinner than a body of the sheet.

216. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein a lead-in edge of the sheet of printable business cards is calendered to improve feeding of the sheet into a printer or copier.

217. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the cardstock sheet construction includes a cardstock sheet and the ultraremovable adhesive is directly on the cardstock sheet.

218. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the sheet of printable business cards is 8½ x 11 inches.

219. (New) The sheet of claim 218 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is approximately 9.0 mil thick.

220. (New) The sheet of claim 218 wherein the cardstock sheet construction is a top-coated cardstock sheet.

221. (New) The sheet of claim 220 wherein the liner sheet comprises a base paper sheet.

222. (New) The sheet of claim 182 wherein the back side surfaces of the printed business cards are writable thereon by a user after removal from the liner sheet.

223. (New) A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:  
a cardstock sheet construction having a front side and a back side;  
a solid continuous liner sheet releasably secured with ultraremovable adhesive to and covering the back side;  
continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet construction to the back side but not through-cut through the liner sheet;  
the through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of printable business cards and a matrix waste portion;  
portions of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction forming back side surfaces of the printable business cards;  
areas of the liner sheet covering back sides of all of the through-cut lines, the areas being adapted to hold the printable business cards and the matrix waste

portion together when the sheet of printable business cards is sheet fed through a printer or copier for a printing operation on the printable business cards;

the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction; and

the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into individual printed business cards, with the ultraremovable adhesive remaining on the liner sheet and not on back side surfaces of the printed business cards.

224. (New) A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:

a cardstock sheet construction having a front side and a back side;

a solid continuous liner sheet releasably secured with ultraremovable adhesive to and covering the back side;

continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet construction to the back side but not through-cut through the liner sheet;

the through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of printable business cards and a matrix waste portion;

portions of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction forming back side surfaces of the printable business cards;

areas of the liner sheet covering back sides of all of the through-cut lines, the areas being adapted to hold the printable business cards and the matrix waste portion together when the sheet of printable business cards is sheet fed through a printer or copier for a printing operation on the printable business cards;

the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction; and

the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into individual printed business cards;

wherein the cardstock sheet construction has a cardstock end edge, and the liner sheet has a corresponding liner sheet end edge, and wherein one of the cardstock end edge and the liner sheet end edge extends a distance out from the other to form a thin end of the sheet of printable business cards; and

wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out.

225. (New) A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:

a cardstock sheet construction having a front side and a back side;

a solid continuous liner sheet releasably secured with ultraremovable adhesive to and covering the back side;

continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet construction to the back side but not through-cut through the liner sheet;

the through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of printable business cards and a matrix waste portion;

portions of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction forming back side surfaces of the printable business cards;

areas of the liner sheet covering back sides of all of the through-cut lines, the areas being adapted to hold the printable business cards and the matrix waste portion together when the sheet of printable business cards is sheet fed through a printer or copier for a printing operation on the printable business cards;

the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the back side of the cardstock sheet construction; and

the liner sheet, the ultraremovable adhesive and the through-cut lines are adapted to allow the business cards to be removed from the liner sheet and from the matrix waste portion after the printing operation into individual printed business cards;

wherein the cardstock sheet construction has a cardstock end edge, and the liner sheet has a corresponding liner sheet end edge, and wherein one of the cardstock end edge and the liner sheet end edge extends a distance out from the other to form a thin end of the sheet of printable business cards; and

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wherein the liner sheet end edge extends the distance out to form a narrow exposed strip extending the entire width of the liner sheet.

226. (New) The sheet of claim 225 wherein the narrow exposed strip is approximately ½ inch wide.